

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of)
) MUR 6528
U.S. Representative Michael Grimm;)
Michael Grimm for Congress and)
Nancy H. Watkins in her official)
capacity as treasurer; Ofer Biton; Rabbi)
Yoshiyahu Yosef Pinto; Mosdot Shuvah)
Israel Synagogue)

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CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on April 22, 2015, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to:

1. Find reason to believe that Michael Grimm for Congress and Nancy H. Watkins in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30104(b), 30116(f), and 30122 (formerly 2 U.S.C. §§ 434(b), 441a(f) and 441f).
2. Take no action at this time with respect to respondents Michael Grimm, Ofer Biton, Yoshiyahu Yosef Pinto, and Mosdot Shuvah Israel Synagogue.
3. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated October 30, 2014 and as last circulated by Commissioner Goodman's Office on April 15, 2015 at 4:56 P.M. and the Office of General Counsel's proposed edit to footnote 8 as discussed at the Table on April 21, 2015, and authorize the Office of General Counsel to make any necessary technical and conforming changes.
4. Approve the use of compulsory process.
5. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

April 23, 2015
Date

Shelley E. Garr
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Deputy Secretary of the Commission